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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON:—F. ALGAR, 11 & 13, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 80, Cornhill. GOSDOR & GOSDOR, Ladgate Street, E.C. BATES, HENRY & Co., 4, Old Jewry, E.C. SAMUEL DRACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE:—LEON DE RENNY, 19, Rue Montevideo, Paris.

NEW YORK:—ANDREW WIND, 188, Nassau Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND:—GORDON & GOTCHE, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO AND AMERICAN PORTS generally:—BRAN & BLACK, San Francisco.

SINGAPORE AND STRAITS:—SAYEE & Co., Square, Singapore. C. HENRIKSEN & Co., Manila.

CHINA:—Messa, Messrs A. A. DE MELLO & Co., Sitou, CAMPBELL & Co., Amoy, WILSON, NICOLLS & Co., Foochow, HEDGE & Co., Shanghai, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH, Yokohama, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Banks.

NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.
Registered in London under the Companies' Act of 1862, on 23rd March, 1866.
Established in Calcutta 24th September, 1863.
Subscribed Capital, £250,000.
Paid-up Capital, £250,000.
Reserve Fund, £35,000.

HEAD OFFICE:—30A, Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.

LONDON BANKERS:—NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF ENGLAND. NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

All descriptions of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Interest allowed on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balances; and on FIXED DEPOSITS according to arrangement—the maximum rate being 5 per cent. per annum.

R. HORNE BOYD,
Acting Manager.
Hongkong, May 24, 1880.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.
(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.)

RECOGNISED by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 20th APRIL, 1862.

CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP:—£3,200,000.
RESERVE FUND:—£300,000.

HEAD OFFICE:—14, Rue de la Harpe, PARIS.

AGENCIES AND BRANCHES at:
LONDON, BOMBAY, SAN FRANCISCO, MARSEILLE, HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, LYONS, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, NANTES, SHANGHAI, FOCHOW, MELBOURNE.

LONDON BANKERS:—THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Business.

E. G. VOULLEMONTE,
Manager, Shanghai.
Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL:—£1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS:
At 3 months' notice 3½ per annum.
" 6 " " 4 " "
" 12 " " 5 " "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEO. O. SCOTT,
Acting Manager.
Oriental Bank Corporation,
Hongkong, September 4, 1879.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

CAPITAL:—£800,000.
RESERVE FUND:—£150,000.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE CITY BANK.

NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in HONGKONG

grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange; and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

On CURRENT ACCOUNTS, 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On FIXED DEPOSITS:
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " "
" 12 " 5 " "

WILLIAM FORREST,
Manager.
Hongkong, May 10, 1880.

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL:—5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND:—1,600,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman:—The Hon. W. KESWICK.
Deputy Chairman:—A. McIVER, Esq.
ADOLF ANDER, Esq. (H. de O. FORBES, Esq.)
E. R. BELLIOS, Esq. (H. HOPKINS, Esq.)
H. L. DALRYMPLE, Esq. (F. D. SARCOON, Esq.)
W. S. YOUNG, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong:—THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.

Shanghai:—EWEN CAMERON, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS:—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits:—

For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

" 6 " 4 " "

" 12 " 5 " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, August 16, 1880.

Entertainment.

POSTPONEMENT.

MR. A. HAHN begs to give notice that he will,

THIS EVENING,
the 23rd Inst., give

(WEATHER PERMITTING),

"AN ITALIAN NIGHT"

(MOONLIGHT ENTERTAINMENT),

at the KOWLOON GARDENS, when Provision will be made for DANCING, SKATING, and RECREATIONS of all kinds, and a MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS will be made.

The Gardens will be brilliantly illuminated.

A STRAM-LAUNUM will be specially engaged for the convenience of the guests, leaving Peddar's Wharf every HALF-HOUR after 5 o'clock P.M.

The walk from the landing Stage to the Gardens will be duly indicated.

Tickets for Admission \$1, to be obtained on application to the Underigned, at the HONGKONG HOTEL, or of Messrs KRUSS & Co.

LADIES FREE.

REFRESHMENTS ON ICE.

TABLE FREE.

Ladies unaccompanied by Gentlemen not admitted.

A. HAHN,
Hongkong, August 23, 1880.

Notices of Firms.

MR. EDWARD ELIAS SARCOON and Mr. MEYER ELIAS SARCOON,

Partners in our China Firm, have been admitted from the 1st April last, PARTNERS in our Bombay Firm.

E. D. SARCOON & Co.
Bombay, 8th July, 1880.

VICTORIA FOUNDRY.

W. E. the Undersigned, having purchased the Lease and Plant of the above Foundry and ENGINEERING WORKS, intend carrying on BUSINESS OF ENGINEERS, IRON and BRASS FOUNDERS, &c., from this date under the Style and Title of "PENWICK, MORRISON & Co."

GEO. PENWICK,
ROBT. MORRISON,
Victoria Foundry, Wanchai,
Hongkong, June 14, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the New York Board of UNDERWRITERS.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.

RECORD OF AMERICAN AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.
Hongkong, Sept. 3, 1879.

NOW READY.

A complete Reprint, in Pamphlet Form, (31 pages), of the proceedings in the RECENT LITIGANT CASE OF

REGINA V. PITMAN,

containing the whole of the Proceedings at the Police Court, full report of the trial in Criminal Sessions, with connected Correspondence and comments of the Press.

Price per Copy, 50 CENTS.

China Mail Office,
Hongkong, June 19, 1880.

For Sale.

SEASON 1880.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE OPENED THEIR

NEW VEGETABLE

AND

FLOWER SEEDS,

FROM

SUTTON & SONS—READING,

AND

E. J. BOWEN—SAN FRANCISCO.

Hongkong, August 23, 1880.

KELLY & WALSH

HAVE JUST RECEIVED the following

NEW & IMPORTANT BOOKS.

New Edition "Wetmore's Telegraph Code," greatly enlarged, \$30.00.

Ferguson's "Chinese Researches," 2.50.

"Great Navigators of 18th Century," 4.00.

Dr. Edkins' "Chinese Buddhism," 5.50.

Dr. Farrer's "Life of Christ," 4.00.

Winchell's "Prodigies," 6.00.

Moule's "Chinese Stories," Illustrated, 7.50.

Urquhart's "Electric Light, its Production and Use," 8.00.

Chalmers' "Quantitative Analysis," 8.50.

Walker's "Money, Trade, and Industry," 2.00.

Sporr's "Dictionary of Engineering," new edition, 2.00.

Mitford's "Tales of Old Japan," 2.00.

Baron Richthofen's "China," 2.00.

Dr. Martin's "Essays on the Intellectual Life of the Chinese," 2.00.

New Skeleton CHIT BOOK, 1.25.

Hongkong, August 9, 1880.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

MUNTZ PATENT YELLOW METAL

S. & T. HING,
ALL KINDS.

AND COMPOSITION NAILS,

in Lots to Suit Purchasers.

G. R. LAMBERT,
Peddar's Wharf Buildings.
Hongkong, July 24, 1880.

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s

OHAMPAINE,

Quarts, \$18 per 1 doz. Case.

First-class, \$17 per 2 doz. "

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, February 3, 1880.

JAPAN SALTZER

WATER MANUFACTURED

BY

J. LLEWELLYN & Co.

JAPAN SPRING

WATER

STEAM-DRIVEN WATER

FACTORY,
Shanghai.

Agents in Hongkong:—Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, July 31, 1880.

To Let.

TO LET.

DWELLING HOUSE, No. 110, Queen's Road East, SEVEN GARDENS, whole or in part.

Also,

Spacious Granite GODOWNS, on the PRAYA.

Apply to **N. MODY & Co.**

Hongkong, August 17, 1880.

HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS.

GOODS RECEIVED ON STORAGE at Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; and VESSELS Discharged alongside the Wharf, on favorable Terms, with quick despatch. Also entire GODOWNS to be let.

MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, August 2, 1880.

TO LET.

ON MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANITE GODOWNS.

Apply to **MEYER & Co.**

Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

TO LET.

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 16, Stanley Street, lately in the occupation of the TEMPERANCE HALL.

THE DWELLING HOUSES—Nos. 31 and 33, WELLINGTON STREET.

OFFICES in OLD CHAMBERS, now in the occupation of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., with Strong Room attached; also other OFFICES and CHAMBERS in the same Building.

Apply to **DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.**

Hongkong, August 14, 1880.

To Let.

TO LET.

No. 8, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, containing

EIGHT ROOMS and OUT-HOUSES.

Apply to **DAVID SARCOON, SONS & Co.**

Hongkong, August 16, 1880.

COAL GODOWNS—TO LET.

BURROWS' GODOWNS, Nos. 43, 56a and 59a, PRATA EAST; with Private WHARF.

Apply to **SIEMSEN & Co.**

Hongkong, June 15, 1880.

TO LET.

GROUND FLOOR of Houses Nos. 3 and 4.

Apply to **MEYER & Co.**

Hongkong, April 19, 1880.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned under instructions

from the Official Assignee of the Estate of Ho Kwong Ming, a Bankrupt, and with the concurrence of the Judgment Creditors' Incumbances on the Undermentioned LOTS, offers for SALE by Public Auction, at 12 o'clock noon, on

SATURDAY,

the 28th day of August, 1880, at his Rooms, Queen's Road,—

All that PIECE or PARCEL of GROUND, registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 233d, together with the Messuage or Tenement erected thereon, known as No. 41, EAST STREET, Tai-ping Shan, for the residue of a term of Seventy-five years, commencing 31st August, 1844, and created by Crown Lease, dated 10th September, 1845. Annual Crown Rent, \$4.36.

Also,

All that PIECE of GROUND, registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 233d, together with the Messuage or Tenement erected thereon, known as No. 43, EAST STREET, Tai-ping Shan, for the residue of a term of Seventy-five years, commencing 31st August, 1844, and created by Crown Lease, dated 10th September, 1845. Annual Crown Rent, \$4.36.

Terms of SALE:—30 per Cent. of the Purchase Money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the Balance on completion of the Assignment. Expenses of Assignment to be paid by Purchaser. The Property to be at the Purchaser's risk from the fall of the hammer.

For further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to Messrs SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON, Hongkong, Vendor's Solicitors, or to the Underigned.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, Aug. 17, 1880.

Intimations.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Office of the Company, CHIN CHANG, on TUESDAY, August 24th, 1880, at 3.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and a Statement of Accounts to 30th June, 1880.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 10th to the 24th Instant, inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
D. GILLIES,
Secretary.

Hongkong, August 4, 1880.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-Year ending 30th June last, at the Rate of (2½) One Penny and Five SHILLINGS Sterling per Share of \$125, is PAYABLE on and after TUESDAY, the 17th Current, at the Office of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 16, 1880.

DENTAL NOTICE.

D. R. ROGERS, now on a visit to SHANGHAI, will return to HONGKONG early in the Winter season.

Hongkong, April 1, 1880.

A. H. TOW & Co.

SHIP'S COMPAHORE, ST. V. DORE,

BALLAST and WATER SUPPLIES,

Hongkong & Whampoa, (the same Proprietor)

keep on hand and for sale, well assorted Oilman's Stores & Coal of all kinds.

Shipping supplies at the shortest notice with all kinds of Ballast and fresh Provisions at moderate charges.

69, PRAYA STREET.

DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS, &c.

FROM NORRIS' EXPLOSIVES CO., LIMITED, Gt. New, can be had in any quantity on application to

THE BORNEO CO., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, March 8, 1880.

NEWS FOR HOME.

The Overland China Mail.

(The oldest Overland Paper in China.)

PUBLISHED at the "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE

12 TIME FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL.

Containing from 72 to 84 columns of closely printed matter.

THIS Mail Summary is compiled from the Daily China Mail, is published twice a month on the morning of the English Mail's departure, and is a record of each fortnight's current history of events in China and Japan, contributed in original reports and collected from the journals published at the various ports in those Countries.

It contains Shipping news from Shanghai, Hongkong, Canton, &c., and a complete Commercial Summary.

Subscription, 50 cents per Copy (postage paid 50 cents.) \$12 per annum (postage paid \$13.50.)

Orders should be sent to GEO. MURRAY BAIN, China Mail Office, 2, Wyndham Street, not later than noon of the day the English Mail steamer leaves.

Terms of Advertising, same as in Daily China Mail.

NOW READY.

PRICE, \$1.00.

"COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW,"

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

Prime "Young America" Cheese.
EASTERN CHEESE.
WHITAKER'S HAMS, Very Fine.
BONELESS CODFISH.
SALMON BELLIES in Kits.
MACKEREL in Kits.
Family PIG PORK.
Prime Meat BEEF.
LAMB TONGUES.
CRACKED WHEAT.
CORNMEAL.
COMB HONEY in Frame.
PEANUTS.
BARCELONA NUTS.
OX TONGUES.
HOMINY.
RYE MEAL.
PECAN NUTS.
HICKORY NUTS.
POTTED MEATS.
BARTLET PEARS.
PEACHES.
&c., &c., &c.

Ex "MENE LAUS."

AN Invoice of MILNER'S
PATENT FIRE PROOF SAFES
and
DEED CHESTS.
To be sold at Manufacturers' Prices.

T. & D. HENRY'S GOVERNMENT NAVY
CANVAS, all Numbers.
FLAX SEAMING TWINE.

Ex "HOPE."
WOODBERRY'S COTTON DUCK, Nos.
1 to 10.
RAVENS DUCK, and
DRILLS.
COTTON TWINE.

Ex "RAPHAEL."
A Large Assortment of
CROCKERY and GLASSWARE.

DINNER SERVICES,
DESSERT SERVICES,
TOILET SERVICES,
BREAKFAST SERVICES,
&c., &c., &c.

Ex "ANCHISES,"
and
LATE ARRIVALS.

RUTHERFORD'S Extra All Long FLAX
CANVAS.

RUTHERFORD'S Royal Navy CANVAS.
RUTHERFORD'S Best Boiled Do.
Engle COLEA OIL.
English COTTON WASTE.
TUCK'S Patent PACKING.
FLAX PACKING.

HORN'S Best Russian CORDAGE.
Best English Charcoal WIRE ROPE.
Galvanized IRON CHAIN, 3/16th, 1/4th
and 3/8th.

HUBBARD'S PAINTS and OILS.
TURPENTINE. Copal VARNISH.
FRENCH POLISH. SOFT SOAP.
OAKLEY'S Wellington KNIFE POWDER.
Plate POWDER. Plate BRUSHES.
Billiard CHALK. CUE TIPS.
Metallic TAPE LINES.

CHURCH'S Patent PADLOCKS,
TH LOCKS.
Cupboard LOCKS.
Box LOCKS.

FIRE GRATES.
Suspension and Bracket Patent Extinguish-
ing KEROSINE LAMPS.
RODERS & SONS' OUTLET.
Electro-plated WARE.
BUNTING and Bunting THREAD.
BUSSETT'S PATENT PNEUMATIC GUN.

Royal Bristol GINGER ALE, in Pint
Bottles.
JEFFERY'S India PALE ALE, in Pint
Bottles.

CLARET—Chateau THIBOUV.
Ines GRAVES, Pints and Quarts.
Chateau LABORE.
Breakfast CLARET.

HAUT SAUTERNE.
SACONNE'S White Seal SHERRY.
Do. Amantillo SHERRY.
Do. Very Fine OLD PORT.
Draught ALE and FORTER, sold by the
Gallon.

STATIONERY.
BOOKS.
TOBACCOES, and
CIGARS.

JOHN
MOIR & SONS,
CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S,
and
AMERICAN
OILMAN STORES.

SHIP HANDLERY
of
Every Description.

SAIL-MAKING and RIGGING,
promptly executed.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.
Hongkong, July 20, 1880.

Mails.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-
Ship Company.

TAKING THE UGH CARGO AND
PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED
STATES AND EUROPE,
IN CONNECTION WITH THE
CENTRAL
and
UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING
RAILROAD COMPANIES
AND
ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. BELGIC will be despatched
for San Francisco via Yokohama,
on TUESDAY, the 24th August, 1880, at
3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for
Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central
and South America, and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with
Steamers from Shanghai.
Freight will be received on Board until
4 p.m. of the 23rd August. PARCEL
PACKAGES will be received at the Office
until 5 p.m. same day: all Parcel Packages
should be marked to address in full; value
of same is required.

A Reduction is made on RETURN PAS-
sage Tickets.
Consular Invoices to accompany Over-
land, Mexican, Central and South American
Cargo, should be sent to the Company's
Office addressed to the Collector of Customs,
San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight
or Passage, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central.
CHAS. H. HASWELL, Jr.,
Agent.

Hongkong, August 16, 1880. au24

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEGERIES
MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,
POINT DE GALLE,
ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT
SAID, NAPLES, AND
MARSEILLES;

BOMBAY, MAHE, ST. DENIS, AND
PORT LOUIS.

ON MONDAY, the 30th day of August,
1880, at Noon, the Company's
S. S. OXUS, Commandant RAYET,
with MALES, PASSENGERS, SPECIAL
and CARGO, will leave this Port for the
above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for
London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-
cepted in transit through Marseilles for
the principal places of Europe.
Shipping Orders will be granted until
Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until
4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on
the 29th of August, 1880. (Parcels are not
to be sent on board; they must be left
at the Agency's Office.)
Contents and value of Packages are re-
quired.

For further particulars, apply at the
Company's Office.
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, August 17, 1880. au30

Insurances.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Underigned are prepared to grant
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on
Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of
Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms
and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Insurances will be re-
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors
for their decision.
If required, protection will be granted on
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single
Life.

For Rates of Premiums, terms of pro-
posals or any other information, apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong & Canton.
Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE
COMPANY OF
MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

ESTABLISHED 1824.
Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling
of which is paid up £ 100,000
Reserve Fund upwards of £ 120,000
Annual Income £ 250,000

THE Underigned have been appointed
Agents for the above Company at
Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai,
and Hankow, and are prepared to grant
Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, October 15, 1863.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and
Special Acts of Parliament.
ESTABLISHED 1809.
CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Underigned, AGENTS at Hongkong
for the above Company, are prepared
to grant Policies against FIRE, to the
extent of £10,000 on any Building, or
on Merchandise in the same, at the
usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20
per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,
Agents,
Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.

THE Underigned are prepared to grant
Policies against FIRE to the extent of
£45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored
therein, at current local rates, subject to a
Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & Co.,
Agents,
Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

Insurances.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of
China and Japan, and at Singapore,
Saigon and Penang.
Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance
granted at the rates of Premium current at
the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES.
JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER
of
His Majesty King George the First,
A. D. 1720.

THE Underigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Corporation are
prepared to grant Insurances as follows—
Marine Department.
Policies at current rates payable either
here, in London or at the principal Ports
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.
Policies issued for long or short periods at
current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.
Life Department.
Policies issued for sums not exceeding
£5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor
Owners will be Responsible for
any Debts contracted by the Officers or
Crew of the following Vessels, during
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

Cleburn, British ship, Capt. Beadle—
Wieder & Co.
Clifton, British barque, Capt. Davies—
Rosario & Co.

GENERAL FAIRBANK, American barque,
Capt. David Kelly—Molchers & Co.
ROSE WALK American ship, Capt. O. C.
Wells—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

JOHN R. STANHOPE, American barque,
Capt. H. G. Pillsbury—Ordn.

NIAGARA, German barque, Captain J.
Kuhlmann—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

JOHN M. CLEER, American barque, Capt.
B. W. Conant—Douglas L. PRAIRIE & Co.

SA. JOAQUIN, American ship, Capt. J.
B. Linkswiler—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

SIBLAS, French barque, Captain C. Buet—
Captain.

KEPLER, German barque, Capt. Hazen-
burg—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

WOODVILLE, British barque, Capt. Lewis
Rodd—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, August 23, 1880. au24

FOR HONKOW AND PAKTOI.
The Steamship
"Hainan,"
Captain CONNOR, will be
despatched for the above
Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 25th Inst.,
at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS L. PRAIRIE & Co.
Hongkong, August 23, 1880. au25

FOR AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.
The Steamship
"Albatross,"
Capt. F. ASHUTON, will be
despatched for the above
Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 25th Inst.,
at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS L. PRAIRIE & Co.
Hongkong, August 23, 1880. au26

NOTICE.
COMPAGNIE DES MESSEGERIES
MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship
"Menzelch,"
Commandant HORNEM, will be despatched for
YOKO and AMA shortly after the arrival of
the next French Mail from Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent,
Hongkong, August 23, 1880.

NOTICE.
COMPAGNIE DES MESSEGERIES
MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Co.'s Steamship
"Felic,"
Commandant PASQUAULT, will be despatched for
HONGKONG shortly after her arrival from
Europe.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent,
Hongkong, August 23, 1880.

CITY HALL, HONGKONG.
NOTICE.

THE Annual General MEETING of
SHAREHOLDERS in and SUB-
SCRIBERS to the above Institution will be
held in the Library, at 3 p.m., on
SATURDAY, the 23rd Instant.

H. L. DENNY,
Secretary.
Hongkong, August 23, 1880. au28

To-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE.

MONSIEUR DEVILLE, Manufacturer of Chemical Products,
67, Faubourg St. Denis, Paris, has the honor to announce
to the trade generally that he has just arrived in Hongkong,
for the purpose of introducing Articles of the utmost utility in every
household, and of which he is Inventor and Sole Manufacturer.

L'ARGENTINE DEVILLE.

This celebrated liquid, which is guaranteed to be a solution of pure silver, is the
only composition whereby articles of brass, copper, and all kinds of plated goods can be
silvered without the aid of the electric battery.

DEVILLE'S RENOVATOR.

For restoring instantaneously all kinds of varnished or polished furniture without
distinction of color. Billiard Tables, Pianos, Sewing Machines, Iron Bedsteads, Car-
riages and Patent Leather, and, when used in fixtures of Dry Goods Stores, will be found
efficacious in preventing ants eating the wood and goods.

DEVILLE'S GUTTA PERCHA OIL.

For Harness, Carriage Covers, Hunting Boots, and to renew the brilliancy of
Morocco leather of blue, green, black or any dark color, without altering the color, and
to prevent Boots, &c., being eaten by insects and rendering the leather soft and
waterproof.

Hongkong, August 23, 1880.

MITSUI BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE
AND INLAND SEA.

THE S. S. SUMIDA MARU, Captain
HUBERT, due here on or about the
30th August, will be despatched as above
SAIDURDAY, the 4th September, at
Daylight.

Cargo received on board and Parcels at
the Office up to 6 p.m. of 3rd September.
No Bill of Lading signed under \$2
Freight.

All Claims must be settled on board
before delivery is taken, otherwise they
will not be recognized.

RATES OF PASSAGE.
To KOBE.—Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15.
"YOKOHAMA" Do. \$70. Do. 20.
"NAGASAKI" Do. \$70. Do. 20.
A Reduction is made on RETURN CARRI-
AGE.

CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagasaki
will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail
Steamer at Kobe.

For further particulars, apply at the
Company's Office, No. 50A, QUEEN'S
ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, August 23, 1880. au24

U. S. MAIL LINE.
PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
VERLAND RAILWAYS, AND THROUGH
AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE S. S. Mail Steamship GIPSY OF
PEKING will be despatched for
Yokohama, on THURSDAY,
the 9th September, at 1 p.m., taking
passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the
United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-
portation to Yokohama and other Japan
Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic
and Inland Cities of the United States via Over-
land Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and
Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central
and South America by the Company's and
connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to
England, France, and Germany by all
trans-Atlantic Lines of Steamers.

Freight will be received on board until 2
p.m. the 8th September. Parcel Packages
will be received at the office until 5 p.m.
same day; all Parcel Packages should be
marked to address in full; value of same
is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland
Cargo should be sent to the Company's
Office in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the
Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

For further information as to Passage
and Freight, apply to the Agency of the
Company, No. 5, Praya Central.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, August 23, 1880. au26

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEGERIES
MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo
are requested to send in their Bills of
Lading to the Underigned for counter-
signature, and take immediate delivery.
This Cargo has been landed and stored at
their risk and expense.

Ex Menzsch.
A (in diamond) 107/215, Order, 49 cases
Plate Glass, from London.
B (in diamond) 28/38, Order, 11 cases
Plate Glass, from London.

Ex Ouz.
M-N 14660/61, Mr. Paul Mignard, 2 cases
RDC, Cognac, from Marseilles.
Ex Andary.
N-H 223/9, Order, 7 cases Provisions,
from London.
N (in diamond) 13/14, Order, 2 cases
Flowers, &c., from London.
H-S 1652/53, Order, 2 cases Colors, from
Marseilles.

H-S 170/05, Order, 5 cases Colors, from
Marseilles.
AFD 1490/00, 1490/12, Order, 2 cases
Butter, from Marseilles.
M-T Buff, underneat, Canton, 1 case
L.E. 6/6, from Marseilles.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent,
Hongkong, August 23, 1880.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Aug. 23, Chinkiang, British steamer, 760,
S. M. Orr, Shanghai Aug. 18, General—
SIEMSEN & Co.

Aug. 23, Yokohama, Chinese steamer, 764,
Deegan, Shanghai Aug. 18, General—
M. S. N. Co.

Aug. 23, Yungching, Chinese steamer,
from Canton.

Aug. 23, Kang-ohi, Chinese steamer, 686,
Crowley, Haiphong Aug. 19, and Hoihow
21, General—O. M. S. N. Co.

ARRIVALS.

Aug. 23, Downas, British steamer, 864,
Ashford, Foshan Aug. 18, Anoy 19, and
Swatow 21, General—DOUGLAS L. PRAIRIE
& Co.

Aug. 23, Albany, British steamer, 365,
F. Ashton, Foshan Aug. 19, Anoy 20, and
Swatow 21, Sugar—DOUGLAS L. PRAIRIE &
Co.

Aug. 23, Hing Shing, Chinese steamer,
441, J. C. Hawthorne, Swatow Aug. 21,
2:30 p.m. Nil—O. M. S. N. Co.

Aug. 23, Asia, German steamer, 1004, C.
Hansen, Nagasaki Aug. 18, Coal and Gen-
eral—SIEMSEN & Co.

Aug. 23, Ramada, British steamer, 395,
H. Talbot, Manila Aug. 20, General—
RUSSELL & Co.

Aug. 23, Tring po, Chinese gunboat, from
Canton.

Aug. 23, Hainan, American steamer, 281,
Conner, Peking Aug. 20, and Hoihow 21,
General—RUSSELL & Co.

Aug. 23, Serapia, British steamer, 1270,
North, Saig Aug. 19, Rice and Paddy—
MELCHERS & Co.

Aug. 23, A. S. Hall, for Chefoo.

Aug. 23, Hae shin, for Swatow & Shanghai.

Aug. 23, Pernambuco, for Saigon.

Aug. 23, Chinkiang, for Canton.

Aug. 23, Yeh sin, for Canton.

Aug. 23, Fohsin, for Newchwang.

Aug. 23, Serapia, for Canton.

Aug. 23, Ramada, from Shanghai, 25 Chi-
nese.

Aug. 23, Chinkiang, from Shanghai, 30 Chi-
nese.

Aug. 23, Hainan, from Amoy, &c., 15 Chi-
nese.

Aug. 23, Tring po, from Swatow, 50 Chi-
nese.

Aug. 23, Ramada, from Hoihow, &c., 19 Chi-
nese.

Aug. 23, Hae shin, for Shanghai, 60 Chi-
nese.

Aug. 23, Yungching, for Shanghai, 30 Chi-
nese.

Aug. 23, Fohsin, for Newchwang, 2 Chi-
nese.

Aug. 23, Serapia, for Canton, 12 Chi-
nese.

Aug. 23, Ramada, from Shanghai, 25 Chi-
nese.

Aug. 23, Chinkiang, from Shanghai, 30 Chi-
nese.

CARGOES.

Per Ramada, to London, 19,724 boxes,
28,441 chests and 255 pkgs. Tea, 1,147
bales Raw Silk, 241 bales Waste Silk, 41
bales Cocoon, 9 cases Pongee, 37 cases
Silk Piece Goods, and 883 pkgs. Sundries.
To Canton, 377 bales Raw Silk, 1 case
Silk Piece Goods, 2 bales Waste Silk, and
37 pkgs. Sundries. To New York, 35
bales Raw Silk.

Per S. S. Prim, to London, called 21st
August—95,940 lbs. Congon, 26,750 lbs.
Scented Capor, 720 lbs. Scented Orange
Pekoa, and 990 lbs. Sorts—total 134,400
lbs. Tea; 5 cases Silk Piece Goods, 100
bales Waste Silk, 1,388 pkgs. Preserves,
and 960 pkgs. Sundries.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:—

For SHANGHAI.—
Per Yangtze, at 9:30 a.m. To-morrow,
the 24th inst.

For AMOY AND SHANGHAI.—
Per Yungching, at 9:30 p.m. To-morrow,
the 24th inst.

For MANILA.—
Per Zamboanga, at 3:30 p.m. To-morrow,
the 24th inst.

For STRAITS SETTLEMENT

